









**PERSONAL GOSSIP.**

Dr. F. M. Stites visited Louisville last week.

Miss May Fuqua has returned from Clarksville.

Hon. J. A. McKenzie was in the city Saturday.

John Myers, of Crofton, was in the city Saturday.

Miss May Wooten, of South Christian, is in the city.

Mr. C. W. Metcalfe spent Saturday in Bowling Green.

Mrs. W. H. Olvey is on a visit to relatives in Louisville.

Herman Simon, of Louisville, is in the city, on business.

Mrs. S. M. Gaines left for her home in Frankfort yesterday.

Mr. R. L. Maseley has returned from a visit to Crittenden county.

Gentry Hillman, of Birmingham, Ala., spent Saturday in the city.

Col. Wm. Campbell, of Louisville, visited his friends here last week.

Miss Esther Cravens, of Julien, is visiting her sister Mrs. L. C. Cravens.

Miss Annie Hartee has accepted a position as book-keeper for Nourse & Moore.

Mr. R. Burke returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit to friends in Trigg.

Mr. C. E. Kennedy can now be found behind the counters at A. A. Metz's.

Mr. R. W. Ware has returned from a visit to Mrs. J. W. McGee, of Clarksville.

Hon. Jas. B. Garnett returned from Frankfort Saturday and is at Madisonville this week.

Otho Graves, of Louisville, after spending a few days in the city, left for home this morning.

Mrs. T. U. Smith, of Hadensville, and Miss Belle Henry, of Casky, were in the city Saturday.

Misses Cora Motree and Lula Winfree left this morning for a short visit to friends in Nashville.

Elder C. S. Lucas went from here to Williamsburg, Ky., where he is holding a protracted meeting.

Capt. S. M. Gaines, who has been on a visit to friends in the city, went down to Madisonville yesterday.

Mr. W. E. Hanby and wife, of Morganfield, have returned home after a short visit to the family of Mr. Jno. Gary.

Miss Mamie Sasseen, who had been visiting relatives in the city last week, returned to her home in Henderson Sunday.

Mr. T. B. Anderson and wife returned from the South last week. He had been absent about a month and while in Cedar town, Ga., was married.

Mr. A. S. White, who has been traveling for the Metcalfe Fertilizer Co., for some time, has resigned his position to accept a similar one with Jno. R. Green & Co.

The Board of Equalization.

The State Board of Equalization has completed the main part of its labors and has turned its books over to its clerks.

In 44 counties no change is made by the board in the assessment, as returned by the assessors.

The counties whose assessment is increased, and the per cent. added, are as follows: Anderson, 6; Barren, 8; Bath, 16; Boone, 5; Boyd, 2; Bracken, 10; Bullitt, 3; Campbell, 1; Carlisle, 3; Carroll, 2; Carter, 4; Christian, 2; Clark, 2; Daviess, 5; Edmondson, 3; Franklin, 2; Gallatin, 5; Grant, 3; Green, 2; Hardin, 8; Harlan, 2; Harrison, 8; Henry, 4; Hopkins, 13; Knott, 8; Lincoln, 2; Lyon, 5; Magoffin, 8; Marion, 4; Mason, 3; McLean, 3; Mercer, 3; Montgomery, 6; Nelson, 2; Nicholas, 8; Ohio, 5; Pendleton, 3; Pike, 5; Shelby, 2; Simpson, 5; Spencer, 8; Taylor, 7; Todd, 3; Trigg, 3; Trimble, 2; Union, 6; Washington, 5; Webster, 5.

The assessment of the following counties has been decreased by the per cent. named: Ballard, 4; Boyle, 15; Clay, 3; Fayette, 7; Fulton, 3; Graves, 2; Jackson, 5; Livingston, 5; Marshall, 4; Martin, 4; McCracken, 3; Muhlenberg, 1; Owensley, 10; Warren, 4; Whitley, 7; Wolfe, 5; Woodford, 2.

Floyd county has not been heard from.

The board was in session twenty-three days. The total increase in the State assessment, resulting from the work of the board, is \$2,000,000. The average per cent. of increase or decrease this year was much below that of previous years.

Next Thursday night, at the Opera House, Hon. Henry Watterson, editor of the *Courier-Journal*, will deliver his popular lecture, "Money and Morals." Everybody in the city knows the brilliant journalist, either personally or by reputation, and it is unnecessary for us to say anything of him. All who hear him will be delighted.

Our young friend, John L. Griffith, returned from Louisville yesterday. While there he secured the local agency for the *Courier-Journal*. It is John's intention to open a regular news depot in a few days.

Dr. Hickman was summoned by a messenger last Sunday to the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. James Thompson, at the residence of Mr. C. T. Mason, in the Beverly neighborhood. Mrs. Thompson's condition was reported so critical that Dr. Hickman thought it best to call in the aid of another physician.

**CREAM OF NEWS.**

**Off for the South.**

An agent from Birmingham, Ala., was in the city the latter part of the past week getting hands to go south and work on some railroad. He hired about sixty, a number of whom left Sunday.

**Promoted Again.**

The many friends of Mr. H. Frazier late a resident of this city, will be glad to learn that he has again been promoted. On the 14th of last month he was made Superintendent of the Huntington and Cincinnati Division of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway. Mr. Frazier is both competent and worthy, and we congratulate him on his advancement in the railway service.

**Troublesome Gypsies.**

A large band of roving gypsies have been encamped in Sharp's field just south of the city for some days. Last Thursday Mike Riley, Sam Lee, Tom Jeffrey, Jno. Brier and Paul Stanley filled themselves full of "John Barleycorn" and proceeded to knock down and drag out each other at a lively rate. The police were notified and appearing upon the scene arrested the whole party. Each was fined \$7.50 except Riley, who was allowed to go free. They promptly paid their fines and were released.

**A New Bank at Elkton.**

Mr. J. S. Forey, of Forbes & Bro., went up to Elkton last Wednesday, and Mr. W. A. Long, of the same firm, went yesterday to consult with the gentlemen who are to start a new banking house at that place. Messrs. Forbes have done a great deal of building for the citizens of Elkton and vicinity, all of which has been done in the most satisfactory manner. We learn that the necessary amount of stock has already been taken in the new institution and that a suitable building will soon be erected.

**Dick Downey Paroled.**

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on last Wednesday granted paroles to nine more convicts under the Dickerson law passed in 1888. This law permits five per cent. of the convicts to be released on parole, but they may be returned at any time if it becomes known that they are not conducting themselves properly. The total number paroled so far is seventy-seven, the best and most deserving prisoners being invariably selected for clemency. One of this last lot was Dick Downey, col., sent from this county in March, 1875, for life for murder. The Governor at the same time pardoned Alex. Scott, col., sent from Scott county for one year for false swearing.

**Can Obtain Relief.**

As will be seen in an article published in to-day's paper, the Legislature has made an appropriation of \$30,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the cyclone on the 27th of March. There are a large number of people in this part of the State whose residences and out buildings were more or less injured by that terrible visitation who no doubt stand in much need of aid, and would gladly welcome any relief that might be available under the act of the Legislature. Almost every day we hear of people whose property was destroyed by the cyclone, and thus far we have heard of no steps being taken for their relief. If parties who need assistance will put themselves in communication with the disburser of the fund they will no doubt be materially assisted.

**Dr. Clardy's Answer.**

Messrs. West, Coleman, McGaughey, King, and others. Gentlemen:—Referring to your kindly mention of myself as a suitable person to represent the County of Christian in the Constitutional Convention. I beg, after tendering thanks for your good opinion, to say in reply, that I have never been a candidate for any office in my life. But have been content to do what I could for my county and State in a private capacity, especially for its great agricultural interests. This, however, is an opportunity which may come only once in a life time, and one may be excused for entertaining a laudable ambition to represent a great county like Christian in such a convention. Without setting up any special claims for myself I refer the matter to the arbitration of my fellow citizens of this good county, only expressing my willingness to serve them to the very best of my ability should they decide that I am the proper person to make the canvass for this high and responsible position. J. D. CLARDY. Newstead, April 5, 1890.

Wanted—A good appetite. You can have it easy enough by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It tones the digestion and cures sick headache.

Mr. A. W. Pyle has bought Mr. N. G. Brasher's interest in the furniture establishment of Renshaw & Brasher and the firm name is now Pyle & Renshaw. Mr. Pyle is an experienced hand in the furniture and undertakers business and the new firm will no doubt do a good business. Mr. Brasher will, we understand, engage in other business in the city at once.

The "Taak Kee" lectures at the Methodist church have been well attended and are pronounced by all who have heard them to be very instructive. The lecturer is very entertaining and throws much light on the life and customs of the people of the Celestial Empire. His hundreds of curiosities brought from that land are an interesting feature of the lecture course, which began last Friday night. An evening with one who was taken to China when quite young and who is so well qualified to speak of that strange people will never be regretted.

**HERE AND THERE.**

Vitalia Liver Pills cure constipation. Pure-bred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale. Apply at this office.\*

Yesterday was County Court day. A large crowd was in the city.

R. M. Woodridge, livery, feed & sale stable, Fritz stand. Telephone 142.\*

The young people of the Methodist church are to organize an Endeavor society.

Tippling license have been granted B. J. Wall, Gracey, and M. Owen & Co., Bainbridge.

Marriage license were issued Saturday to Edmund Davie and Cornelia Pettis, both colored.

The Court of Claims meets next Thursday to lay the county levy and transact other business.

Dr. J. M. Pendleton, of Bowling Green, preached at the Baptist church at Prembroke, Sunday.

The School Board held its regular monthly meeting at Judge Landers' office Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wootton are both very sick with pneumonia at their home near Caledonia.

The Tank Kee matinee lecture will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Subject, "Boys and Girls of China."

Gardening and farming operations are nearly a month behind in consequence of the exceedingly wet weather.

Miss Genevieve Anderson, whose serious illness was reported in our last issue, is much better, we are glad to note.

Miss Alice Hayes has just returned from the eastern market with a handsome lot of spring millinery goods—at prices to suit the times.\*

The weather prophets predict that this month will prove almost unprecedented in the way of storms. To-day is booked for a heavy "blow."

We can not pay for big, flaming advertisements, our profits are too small. For good, honest goods at low prices, go to Best Store Co.

Purify your blood with Dr. P. T. Rogers' Ideal Alternative, sanctioned by physicians of Hopkinsville. For sale only by Rogers & Elgin.\*

Last Sunday was Easter, and appropriate services were held at Grace church. A large number of people visited the church and admired the handsome floral display.

W. F. Randle, the confectioner, on last Friday sold his stock of goods to Messrs. N. G. Brasher and Hart Brannah, who will continue business at the same stand. Mr. Randle retires from business.

Mr. Jno. F. Clardy, whose loss from the cyclone was estimated at \$3,000, says his building and fences can probably be put back for about \$800. We are glad to know that his losses were so much less than reported.

Mr. A. A. Metz advertises for this week a number of unparalleled bargains in the dry goods line. His special bargain sale will continue throughout the week and a glance at his prices will be enough to convince you that you can save money by calling on him.

In this issue appears an advertisement of the two celebrated horses, Bonnie Hambletonian and Gordon, No. 3127. These fine animals can now be seen at the Driving Park. Mr. P. H. McNamey will take great pleasure in showing them. For pedigrees, descriptions, etc., see "ad."

Mr. M. B. King has been appointed a justice of the peace in the Union School House district to succeed W. H. Everett, deceased. The appointment is for the unexpired term of five months. A better appointment could not have been made and the people of the district will do themselves credit to elect Mr. King for the full term in August.

The revival at the Christian church, which lasted nearly four weeks, closed Thursday night last. There were sixty-eight additions to the church as a result of the meeting. Elder Lucas made a fine impression on the people of this city and made many warm and lasting friends during his stay. There were large congregations in attendance throughout the meeting.

To afford the citizens of Hopkinsville and vicinity an opportunity of visiting the Art Exhibition at Nashville at reasonable cost, the Louisville & Nashville railroad will sell excursion tickets April 10th, 1890, limited to date of sale, at one fare for the round trip. Excursion tickets will also be sold under same conditions from stations as far south as Trenton.

The stock of goods lost by McGee Bros., at Bellevue, invoiced \$9,000 and the building was worth \$3,000. Their loss of \$12,000 was insured against fire for \$5,000, but the probabilities are that the companies will refuse to pay the loss. In that event the whole matter would turn on the legal liability of the companies which is a question involved in much doubt.

Now that spring has opened every man and boy wants a new suit. Of course nothing but "the latest" is wanted, and where to go to get it is the question. Fry, Dicken & Wall's is the place. Now is the time to call on them, for their new stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods has just come in. They can please the most fastidious, for their stock was never more complete; and as one of the firm spends a great deal of his time in the cities, they have the advantage of making close purchases and never fail to give the public the advantage of them. We have no hesitancy in recommending this firm to the public as one that gives the best in the market for lowest prices.

Quarterly court meets next Monday. The docket contains about one hundred appearances.

The peach trees are in bloom and the prospects are good for a fair crop of this and other fruits.

An Italian band of three instruments—violin, flute and harp—furnished some very fine music on the streets yesterday.

Judge J. I. Landers has been elected to represent the First Presbyterian church at the meeting of the Presbytery, which will convene in Cloverport this week.

Forbes & Bro. have bought the property opposite the residence of Mrs. J. O. Ellis, on Clay street, known as the Coleman place, and will soon build there a number of handsome cottages. If we only had a number of such enterprising citizens Hopkinsville would boom the year round.

Mr. Geo. E. Fox, who opened a produce house in this city four weeks ago yesterday, has done a large business from the start. Exclusive of his trade in poultry and hides he has bought and shipped 5,000 dozen eggs.

Mr. W. S. Davidson, who has taken local charge of the business, tells us that it is constantly increasing. Mr. Davidson is still in the transfer business and will give it his usual prompt attention.

There is a real pleasure in visiting the handsome and orderly stores of J. H. Anderson & Co., who are prepared to clothe the gentlemen and boys and shoe all the people of Christian county. Mr. Anderson spent several weeks in New York making his selections of goods and we must say that he excelled himself, for never have we looked at a better display of goods in both houses than that which is now open and ready for the inspection of the public. This is one of the foremost firms in the State and we take pleasure in commending it to the patronage of our readers.

As the time draws nearer to harvest the farmers naturally look around to see where and from whom they can buy their machinery and what make to buy. It will be seen from an advertisement in this issue that Mr. W. B. Mason is agent for this county for the Walter A. Wood reaper which has taken a number of prizes and which leads all others, standing without an equal, as claimed by many. Mr. Mason also handles Russell & Co.'s steam threshers and traction engines and road carts. Parties desiring to purchase would do well to call on the gentleman at J. F. Pyle's, corner 10th and Main streets.

The Standard.

"I regard Hood's Sarsaparilla as having passed above the grade of what are commonly called patent or proprietary medicines," said a well known physician recently. "It is fully entitled to be considered a standard medicine, and has won this position by its undoubted merit and by the many remarkable cures it has effected. For an alternative and tonic it has never been equaled."

Real Estate Advertised for City Tax.

I am instructed to advertise for sale by the 17th day of April, 1890, all city property upon which tax is due and unpaid. WALTER F. GARNETT, Collector.

The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

LEMON ELIXIR.

Its Wonderful Effect on the Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys and Blood.

Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir is a pleasant lemon drink, that positively cures all Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion, all sick and Nervous Disorders, Kidney Diseases, Dropsies, Loss of appetite, Fevers, Chills, Palpitation of Heart, and all other diseases caused by disordered liver, stomach and kidneys, the first great cause of all fatal diseases. 50cts. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by druggists. Prepared only by H. Mozley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

LEMON HOT DROPS.

For coughs and colds, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For sore throat and Bronchitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For pneumonia and Laryngitis take Lemon Hot Drops.

For hemorrhage and all throat and lung diseases, take Lemon Hot Drops. 25 cents, at druggist. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga.

President National Bank.

McMinnville, Tenn. writes: From experience in my family, Dr. H. Mozley's Lemon Elixir has few, if any equals, and no superiors in medicines, for the regulation of the liver, stomach and bowels. Dr. H. Mozley's Lemon Hot Drops are superior to any remedies we have ever been able to get for throat and lung diseases. W. H. MACON, Pres. Nat'l Bank.

NOTICE—There is a fraudulent Lemon Elixir on the market—a whiskey substitute, a Blind Tiger drink. See that you get Dr. H. Mozley's Lemon Elixir, an honest, reliable medicine.

IF YOUR BACK ACHES

Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing is to be found in the world than RYAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

EGGS!

Pure Bronze Turkey's eggs \$2.00 per dozen. Miss Ida Knight, Hopkinsville, Ky.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

"New Home" sewing machine, \$45 3 "New National" sewing machine, 40 Martin improved repeating rifle. 27 Lovell washing machines. 5 These articles are all new. Will sell them at a bargain or trade other useful articles of equal value. Apply at KENTUCKIAN office.

**HERE THEY ARE.**

**Unparalleled Bargains.**

Everything goes just as I advertise them. Read this advertisement and then come and see the goods on

Monday, April 7th, Continuing One Week.

65 dozen ladies hem-stitched handkerchiefs colored borders, regular price 12 cents, but my price for one week 5c

25 pieces curtain scrim in white only, that everybody would consider good value at 12 1/2 cents, my price will be 7c.

98 pair fine lace curtains, large size, would be considered great value at \$2.50, but to close them out my price will be \$1.00 per pair.

150 dozen large size brass pins, full count, that sell for 5 cents, my price for this week 10c. per dozen papers

Another line of these fine French Sateens go this week at 15c.

My Torchon Lace sale still continuing. Any width at 10c.

50 dozen papers best Needles, that sold at 10 cents per paper, go this week at 2 1/2 cents per paper.

Best light shirting calicoes go in this sale at 5c.

Dr. Warner's Health Corsets go at \$1.00 as long as they last.

Good straw matting worth 25 cents, go at 10c.

Best jointless straw matting, worth 50 cents, go this week at 25c.

All wool Carpets, best make, go at 60c.

Best C. C. Wool Carpets go at 55c.

One half wool Carpets go at 42 1/2c.

Good Brussels Carpets, all wool, I will sell this week at 59c.

Don't forget my immense millinery department. Everything complete and will be sold 25 per cent. cheaper than any house in Kentucky.

I have just received my new spring dress goods and trimmings which is the largest line ever displayed in Kentucky.

The prices mentioned above are for one week only, so call early.

**A. A. METZ,**

"Leader and Controller of Low Prices."

100 dozen Window Shades on spring rollers, with fixtures complete, 25c.

**N. TOBIN & CO.,**

Merchant Tailors,

OPERA BUILDING, Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

Special Attention Given to Orders from a Distance.

Parties needing anything in their line would do well to call and see their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

M. H. NELSON.

**NELSON & DABNEY,**

TOBACCO, GRAIN & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

R. R. and 11th Sts. Hopkinsville, Ky.

Liberal advances made on Tobacco in store. All tobacco insured at cost of owner unless written instructions to the contrary.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

FOR SALE.

One registered Holstein bull, four years old. Both parents imported. Will sell at a bargain. Call on or address T. J. TANDY, Pembroke, Ky.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership existing heretofore between J. B. Galbreath and W. F. Randle, under the firm name of W. F. Randle & Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J. B. Galbreath, retiring, Mr. W. F. Randle assuming all liabilities and will collect all debts due said firm.

W. F. RANDLE, J. B. GALBREATH.

The ladies are all invited around to Mrs. Carrie Hart's to see the new patterns in Hats and Bonnets.

Fresh Paints, Oils, Varnishes and a complete and large stock of all kinds of brushes at Wyly & Burnett's.

JOE MCCARROLL, ADMR., HEIRS AND CREDITORS OF JOHN DOWNEY.

Persons holding claims against the estate of John Downey, deceased, are required to present the same, properly proven, before the plaintiff on or before the 1st day of September next.

JOE MCCARROLL, ADMR.

A Card.

I desire to inform my friends in Christian county that I have accepted a situation in the grocery department of McGee Bros., Clarksville, Tenn. Any orders with which you may favor me shall have my personal attention, and be filled at the lowest possible price. Will appreciate and kindly remember any patronage extended me.

Very Respectfully, JOHN W. RICHARDS.

**Mrs. Carrie Hart**

Has just returned from the East with the latest, finest, hand-somest and cheapest line of Millinery goods ever brought to Hopkinsville. Call around and see her, ladies.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Bernard Coal Co. will be held in the office of the Company at Earlington, Ky., Wednesday, May 7th, at ten o'clock a. m.

Geo. C. ATKINSON, Sec'y.

**PLANING MILLS, Wagon Factory, IMPLEMENT AND SEED STORE.**

We wish to call the special attention of farmers to our Immense Stock of Plows, Wagons, Buggies and Seeds.

**Guaranteed to be First-Class.**

Blount's True-Blue Cast Steel Plows, Heilman's Cast Steel and Chilled Plows, The Celebrated Vulcan Chilled Plows, Avery's Steel and Chilled Plows, South Bend Chilled Plows,



